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Mortimer Missing 50 Hours

PLANES FAIL TO LOCATE HUNTER

Ground Posse Combs Area In Detailed Search As Parties Patrol Roads In District

James Mortimer, deer hunter lost Sunday in the Cat Creek section above Caldor, was missing for more than fifty hours up to noon today as two airplanes which had endeavored to assist in the search returned to Placerville airport reporting no trace of the young man.

The only hope that he might have been found lay in the fact that ground posesses numbering more than one hundred persons which set out Tuesday morning on the second day of the search, may have been successful.

When the posse left the camp near Caldor Tuesday morning, it was not expected that they would return until about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and during the intervening time they would be out of communication with the outside world.

The search is being continued under the direction of Ranger George B. Young, of Lumberyard district of El Dorado Forest, using more than sixty CCC enrollees of the Caldor Camp, forest officers, relatives and other friends of the missing man, making a posse of more than 100.

Forest Supervisor Edwin F. Smith, who went into the area Monday afternoon, remained in the search and Sheriff George M. Smith, who was in the (Continued on page 4)

High School's Work Begun

Contractor Started Monday On Rough Excavation For Unit Of New Addition

The first dirt was turned Monday on the excavation for the new additions to be erected at the county high school to accommodate the increasing enrollment.

"And none too soon, either," says Principal B. E. Larson, "for Monday we enrolled five additional pupils making our active enrollment 574 and our total enrollment 581 for the year. That is ten more than we anticipated for the entire year."

The excavation contract is held by C. A. Baker, of North Sacramento. Paul Smith is inspector on the job for the high school board and S. W. Gibbs is the inspector representing the PWA.

Meanwhile, the school board will meet Tuesday of next week to open bids on the major portion of the contract for the two new additions.

FIREMEN SUGGEST THAT SIREN SOUND TWICE FOR ALARMS

Suggestion that the siren atop the bell tower should be sounded twice for a fire alarm instead of only once was made to the city council Monday night by Fire Chief Mark Tetrault.

The chief pointed out that with the automatic control regulating the length of the siren blast to seven seconds, the siren often is not heard by members of the department who are living or working on the outskirts of the city.

Two blasts on the siren, the department suggested, would make it more certain that the alarm would be heard by all members of the department and would also eliminate confusion when a fire alarm is sounded near mid-day, as to whether the siren was an alarm or merely the "twelve o'clock whistle."

The council instructed the city clerk to write to the telephone company, which sounds the siren, requesting their co-operation in the matter.

Chief Tetrault informed the council that the week opening October 9 is National Fire Prevention Week, and also reported on the recent "fire college" in which members of the department received fifteen hours of instruction from an agent of the state fire marshal's office.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Benney reported to city police officers Monday evening the theft of an automobile robe from their car, parked on Main Street.

DEATHS OF 4 EL DORADO PIONEER NATIVES ARE RECORDED

The current issue of The Grizzly Bear, official publication of the Native Sons of the Golden West and the Native Daughters of the Golden West, records the deaths of four pioneer natives of El Dorado County as follows:

John William King, born El Dorado County, 1857; died Sacramento City, August 27; a son survives;

Mrs. Mary Mahlmann, born Placerville, June 28, 1854; died San Francisco, August 29; ten children survive. She was affiliated with Castro Parlor No. 178, N. D. G. W., of San Francisco;

Mrs. Caroline Schneider Patterson, born El Dorado County, 1859; died Orville, Butte County, September 10; two sons survive;

Mrs. Amirpat E. Labhard, born El Dorado County 1858; died San Francisco, September 1; three children survive.

15,633 ENROLL AT BERKELEY

Anticipated 6 Per Cent Gain In Students Is Exceeded; Increase In All Colleges

BERKELEY.—Instead of the 5 or 6 per cent increase in enrollment which was expected in the University of California this year, there has been an addition of 10.5 per cent to the student body on the campuses, both north and south. This announcement was made by President Robert G. Sproul, after receiving reports from Berkeley, Los Angeles, San Francisco, and Davis, where nearly the entire registration is found. At La Jolla, Mt. Hamilton and Riverside there are but a few graduate students.

The total enrollment at the end of last week was 25,639, as compared to 23,218 a year ago. These figures are not final, it is pointed out, as there is still time for late registration.

On the Berkeley campus there were 15,633 students, of whom 12,821 were undergraduates, and 2,812 were graduates, as compared to 14,273 a year ago. At Los Angeles the registration was 7,815, with 7,348 undergraduates and 467 graduate students; the enrollment a year ago was 6,897.

In the professional schools and colleges in San Francisco, the total was 1,077, as compared to 1,042 last year at this time. This number is divided as follows: Medical School, 325 as against 303 in 1937; Hastings College of Law, 248 this year and 215 a year ago; five-year curriculum for nurses, 166 as against 147 last fall; College of Dentistry, 179 this year compared to 152 a year ago; College of Pharmacy, 159 so far this year, against 206 last year. The decrease in the College of Pharmacy, it is said, is due to the change in the curriculum there, the courses and requirements having been materially stiffened.

The city council Monday evening received a protest from the local office of the Tidewater-Associated Oil Company against a stench attributed to the new Placerville sewage disposal plant, located in the vicinity of the company wholesale distribution plant.

Mayor George E. Faugstet informed the council that the local officers of the company had complained to him about the matter and that he had suggested that they bring the matter to the council's attention in the form of a letter.

The nuisance at this time, he declared, is not pressing, although in warmer weather some attention to the matter will be required.

This opened the way for a round table discussion of the problem during which City Attorney Maul informed the council that he had visited the plant that the time that the plant is in the N. Jenks and Mr. Jenks pointed out at that time that the plans in the "breaking-in" stage and that when the sewer mains are completed and the operation of the plant is finally regulated, it is likely that the reason for the complaint may be eliminated.

ROAD BOOSTERS MAP MEETING

Chamber Of Commerce Highway Committee Gets Support For Conference On Friday

El Dorado County will send a large delegation to Sacramento Friday morning to appear before the state highway commission at ten o'clock at which time the highway committee of the Chamber of Commerce will present requests for improvement of U. S. Route 50 which, it is hoped, the state may make provision for in the new biennial budget.

That the committee will have the united support of the entire county was indicated Monday evening when it was learned that the Board of Supervisors is considering a resolution endorsing the projects on U. S. 50 as enumerated by the committee.

Also on Monday evening, the Placerville City Council passed a resolution endorsing the requests as outlined by the committee.

The committee will ask for:

1. Realignment of the highway west from the end of the new section below El Dorado;

2. Realignment of the section from Tamarack Flat easterly to Pierce's Camp; and,

3. Improvement of the alignment on the Fresh Pond hill.

The Friday conference is on matters relating only to U. S. Route 50 and is stated that other road matters of the county may be taken up at a meeting which the chamber of commerce hopes to arrange at a later date.

All residents of the county who are awake to the pressing need for the improvement of U. S. Route 50 are being invited by the Chamber of Commerce to join the delegation which will visit the highway commission on Friday morning. The meeting will be held at the highway commission's office in the Department of Public Works Building at 1120 N Street at ten o'clock Friday morning.

Shanghai Man Lion Speaker

Cousin Of Will Wilkinson, Ten Years In Orient, In Placerville On World Tour

Lions were fortunate Tuesday noon in having as their guest speaker Arthur Wilkinson, a cousin of Will Wilkinson, of Placerville, who for ten years has been in China at Shanghai, associated with the telephone company there.

The "Cousins Wilkinson" were guests of the club and the speaker was introduced by Dr. Lester B. Rantz.

The Shanghai gentleman is enroute to China on the last leg of a world tour following his recent marriage, and in addressing the club spoke of conditions in the Orient as they appeared to be up until six months ago.

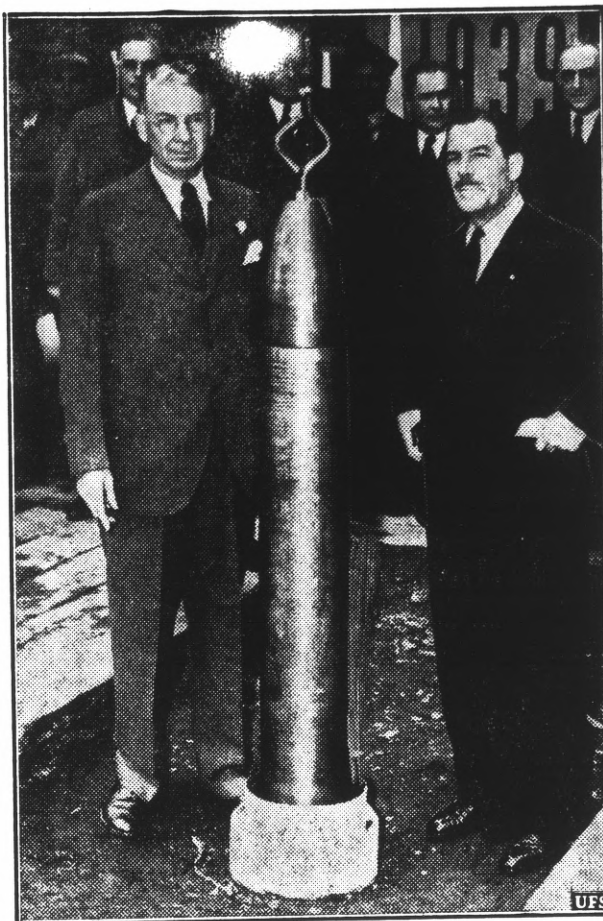
He confessed being puzzled by China which, he said, has its extremes in accomplishment, just as the United States includes people who perform such feats as building the Boulder Dam, and others who create "\$30 every Thursday" schemes.

He gave it as his opinion that the war in China may last another year or (Continued on page 4)

Meat Market Announces Advertising Schedule

William Brown, formerly a Placerville business man, being at one time part owner of the Lake Meat Market, and now district supervisor over meat departments in the Purdy Stores is here for a few days on a regular inspection tour. He, with Cliff Herrie, is mapping an advertising schedule for the local store's Meat Market, which advertising will appear hereafter each week in The Mountain Democrat and Advertiser.

Light snow which fell Sunday in Lake Valley melted by Monday morning, according to a report to Eldorado Forest headquarters by Ranger Raleigh Bryan, from Meyers Station.



TO BE OPENED IN 6978—Time capsule containing a condensed record of present-day civilization for inhabitants of the earth 5,000 years from now, just before lowering into the Immortal Well at the site of the Westinghouse Building at the New York World's Fair grounds. A. W. Roberson, chairman of the Westinghouse board of directors is at left, with World Fair President Grover Whalen, at the right.

SINGLE TAX, REVENUE BONDS, HIT BY TAXPAYERS

Association Gives Recommendations For Voting On Seven Proposals Offered On November Ballot; Warrant Scheme Included In Propositions Which Are Disapproved

"How to vote" recommendations on eight propositions on the November 8 ballot were announced today by California Taxpayers' Association. Recommendations were:

Proposition No. 7, Administration of Unemployment Relief, vote YES.

Proposition No. 8, Gifts to Municipal Corporations, vote NO.

Proposition No. 13, Garrison Revenue Bond Act, vote NO.

Proposition No. 14, Removal of Judicial Officers, vote YES.

Proposition No. 17, Qualification of Initiatives, vote YES.

Proposition No. 19, Veterans Welfare Board, vote NO.

Proposition No. 20, Single Tax, vote NO.

Proposition No. 25, Retirement Life Payments (\$30 Every Thursday), vote NO.

Brief comment by the Taxpayers' Association on the proposals on which it has made recommendations is as follows:

No. 7, Administration of Unemployment Relief, vote YES. In 1933 the voters froze into the state Constitution the method of control of unemployment relief. Passage of this proposition

would give the legislature freedom to work out the most economical method of administering unemployment relief.

No. 8, Gifts to Municipal Corporations, vote NO. The Constitution provides that money apportioned to local governments from state funds, such as the gasoline tax, must be spent by local governments for "state purposes." Proposition No. 8 would allow grants to localities to be spent for other than "state purposes." A NO vote is urged, as removal of the present restrictions would loosen the strings of the public purse and, in addition, the legislature already has the power to eliminate inequalities which may exist.

No. 13, Garrison Revenue Bond Act, vote NO. This measure authorizes political subdivisions to sell revenue bonds to acquire or construct public utilities or other self-liquidating projects by a plain majority vote of the electorate instead of the two-thirds vote required by the Constitution. Political subdivisions already have authority to issue bonds for such projects, but a two-thirds vote is necessary. California has had far too much debt under existing restrictions and should not (Turn to page 4)

Reno Janitor Is Taken Home By Police

Roy Warren, 26, negro janitor of Reno, was returned to that city Monday afternoon by Reno police, who came here in response to word from local officers informing them that Warren had wrecked his car Sunday in the Missouri Flat district.

According to the Reno police, there were no charges against Warren although he has been subject to mental lapses in the past and it was considered probable that the wrecking of his car Sunday was the result of a seizure of this type.

His record in Reno was described as "good" and with his return to his job there the matter is, apparently, closed as far as the law enforcement agencies are concerned.

Firemen were called to the vicinity of the Uppertown Grammar school Saturday to extinguish a grass fire.

Auto Collision Basis Of Damage Action

Suit was filed in Superior Court on Monday afternoon by Gordon H. West against Rupley Brothers, Theodore Rupley, Jack Rupley, Mrs. Clara Rupley and Robert McCullough, seeking damages of \$653.18.

The complaint, prepared by Attorney Lloyd Buchler, of Sacramento, states that a car owned by the defendant co-partnership and driven by McCullough collided with the car of the plaintiff near Greenwood on or about September 5, 1936, and complains that as a result of the negligence of the driver of the defendants' car, plaintiff's car was damaged in the amount of \$278.18 and he was deprived of its use for thirty-seven days for which he asks \$5 per day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Willis left Saturday to spend two weeks on vacation in the southern part of the state.

WEATHER

Fair tonight, freezing higher; Wednesday, warmer; high 69; low 40.

DEFICIT MEANS MORE TAXES

Revision Of Income Levy To Extend Brackets To Lower Field Is Indicated

By LYLE C. WILSON

United Press Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON, (U.P.) — Prospects of another large federal deficit raised the question today of heavier tax levies on the middle classes and low income groups to reduce the spread between treasury income and outgo.

Informed persons here believe that if any tax increases are voted by congress they would be on that basis. Such increases would involve reduced exemptions to catch lower income groups and higher rates on those already paying taxes on incomes up to about \$50,000 annually.

Sen. Robert La Follette, Prog., Wis., long has advocated lowering income tax exemptions. If there is real pressure next session for additional federal revenue, La Follette doubtless will have considerable conservative democratic support for that program.

Income tax exemptions now are \$1000 for single persons, \$2500 for married persons with an additional \$400 for each dependent under 13 years of age. On that basis 2,067,736 persons filed taxable returns in 1935, a fairly representative year. It is estimated that reduction of exemptions to \$500 for single persons, \$100 for married persons and to \$200 for dependents would increase the number of taxable returns to approximately 8,400,000. The additional (Continued on page 4)

Music Series To Open Tonight

Sacramento Little Symphony Orchestra At Shakespeare Clubhouse For Concert

The first event of the Placerville Music Series takes place at the Shakespeare Clubhouse tonight under the sponsorship of the club choral section and presents the Sacramento Little Symphony orchestra in a concert designed to have wide appeal.

The orchestra is under the direction of John M. Dotzel, well known conductor and composer.

Other events in the Music Series include the presentation of a dramatic soprano at the November concert and the third and closing number of the series, the appearance of a Spanish dancer at the December concert.

The sales of season and single admission tickets has been under way for several weeks and indications are that a large audience will greet Maestro Dotzel as he takes his baton to open the Music Series.

FARM CENTER MEETINGS CONTINUE AT CAMINO TONIGHT

The series of Farm Center meetings in the county for October, which opened Monday night with the meeting of the Coloma center, continues tonight at Camino.

At Coloma Monday night, special speakers were Dr. L. J. Anderson, secretary-manager of the County Fair, who sketched the plans for the exposition opening October 14; and Glen Paxton, chief of the local staff of the Soil Conservation Service, who spoke concerning the state soil conservation districts act.

Preparatory to electing officers at the November meeting, the center chose a nominating committee consisting of Harry Reaside, Albert Herzig and Leland Veerkamp.

The Camino meeting tonight will hear a discussion of the soil conservation districts act, and a review of the propositions which will be submitted to the voters on the November ballot.

The new books ordered by the schools participating in the county circulating library arrived over the weekend and were being distributed Monday to the schools at the office of Superintendent Fitzgerald.

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PARADE OF SPORTS

By HENRY McLEMORE
(United Press Staff Writer)

NEW YORK, (U.P.) — Scoop! Flash! Copyright!

In one of the greatest "beats" in journalistic history it is our privilege to print — EVEN BEFORE THEY HAVE SAID THEM — the last-minute world series statements of such men as Ford Frick, Will Harridge, Judge Landis, Joe

McCarthy and Gabby Hartnett.

Never before has any column been able to bore its readers so far in advance. Get the jump on your neighbors! Yawn over the pre-battle statements of the league presidents and rival managers a full 48 hours before they actually utter their careful worded tripe.

Here are the sensational and, as yet, unuttered, statements, right down to the last cliché.

Ford Frick, president of the National League: The Yankees are a great team, everybody knows that. But don't count the Cubs out. A team that won't be licked can't be licked, and the Cubs proved they were tremendous fighters by the way they won the National pennant. I think it will be a great series right down to the last ditch, with the Cubs thrilling all fandom by winning in seven games over the mighty Yankees.

Will Harridge, American League president: The Yankees are a great team—possibly the greatest team in the history of baseball. I feel sure that they will win their third world series if a

Public Notice

NOTICE OF TIME FOR PROVING WILL

No. 2288
NOTICE OF TIME FOR PROVING WILL OF WILLIAM ALBERT WILLIAMS, DECEASED, AND FOR HEARING PETITION FOR LETTERS TESTAMENTARY THEREON. In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of El Dorado.

In the Matter of the Estate of William Albert Williams, also known as and called William A. Williams and W. A. Williams, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Friday, the 7th day of October, A. D., 1938, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, and the court room of the above entitled court, at the court house, in the County of El Dorado, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place of proving the will of said William Albert Williams, also known as and called William A. Williams, and W. A. Williams, deceased, and for hearing the application of Norman J. Williams for issuance to him of Letters Testamentary when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated: Placerville, September 23rd, A. D., 1938.

ARTHUR J. KOLETZKE, Clerk.
By GLADYS GARDELLA, Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL)
Henry S. Lyon, Robert E. Roberts, Attorneys for Petitioners.
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row, and I wouldn't be surprised if they did it in four games. The Cubs are a good team but the Yankees have too much power for them.

Judge Landis, high commissioner of baseball: I look for one of the most exciting world series in the history of baseball. Every game should be thrilling, with the outcome in doubt until the final play. The Yanks are great and so are the Cubs.

Gabby Hartnett, Cubs manager: The Yanks are a great team, but we've got too much fight and spirit for them. Sure, they can hit, but so can we. Give us our share of breaks and nothing can stop us. We'll take two here and then end it in New York. Looks like the Cubs in five or six games to me. Our gang is really hot and itching for a crack at those Yankees.

Joe McCarthy, Yankees manager: The Yanks are a great team, the best I ever managed or ever saw. They have worked together like a happy family, and are ready to make history by winning three world series in a row. The Cubs are a fine, scrappy team. But our pitching and our hitting will be too much. We'll take two in Chicago and end it in New York, probably in four games.

Phil Wrigley, Cubs' Owner: I am mighty proud of Hartnett and all the other players. Everybody else had given up on us when the Pirates took such a long lead, but Hartnett fired his men to fighting pitch and won. Now I think we'll win the world series.

Jacob Ruppert, Yankee owner: It should be a fine series but I think the Yankees will win in four games. They better had.

Tim What's-his-name, Cubs batboy: We're a cinch. We're in. Say, nothing can stop this gang now.

Jack Something-the-other, Yankees batboy: It'll all be over Sunday night. Four in a row. Just a breeze.

Dizzy Dean, celebrated right arm with body attached: Bring those bums on. I want crack at 'em. I'll pin their big ears back.

FRESH FLOWERS DAILY TREATMENT PLAN OF S. F. HOSPITAL

SAN FRANCISCO, (U.P.)—The Medical Center of the University of California has developed an entirely new therapy—that of flowers.

Impressed of the peace of mind, the atmosphere of beauty and the general comfort that flowers can bring the sick, the Center has ordered that a bouquet of fresh flowers be given once a week to every patient both in the university's hospital and its public clinics.

So popular has the custom become, and so great is the benefit which has resulted so far, that the unit is now planning a "wildflower day" on which every patient will be given a bouquet or a spray fresh from California's verdant hillsides.

Most of the flowers now obtained come from the homes of the many doctors and others who are attached to the hospital. Almost without exception, every patient sees to it that the flowers are kept fresh as long as possible.

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ECONOMIST—Carroll Daugherty, Pittsburgh University economist, who has been named Chief Economist for the Wage-Hour Administration in Washington.

PWA ACTIVITY IN STATE THROUGH JUNE IS TABULATED

Federal activity in California during the period from March 1933 through June 1938 has recently been tabulated in order to show the results obtained from the loans and expenditures made on the work relief and public works programs, according to a statement released by Donald Renshaw, State Director for the National Emergency Council for California.

The Public Works Administration, through loans and grants has completed 446 projects including 205 schools, 29 water works systems, 26 disposal plants, 18 sewer systems, and other projects including hospitals, libraries, bridges and roads, auditoriums, fire houses, school gymnasiums and agricultural buildings. In addition, as of June 30, 1938, there were 59 projects under construction.

The PWA has already allotted funds to 226 (non-Federal) new projects (July 31, 1938) in California. These include 113 school buildings, municipal improvement projects, 5 water works systems, 16 court houses and municipal buildings, 15 sewerage and water drains projects, and 8 fire stations. Other projects include irrigation systems, harbor improvements, dams, garages and warehouses, hospitals, libraries, auditoriums and recreational centers.

9 Meandering Skunks Give Town Jitters

WORCESTER, Mass., (U.P.)—A mother skunk and her eight offspring recently gave Sylvan street residents the "jitters."

The mother had successfully paraded her young across the street and apparently signalled them to follow her into nearby woods.

But one of the youngsters scampered away on a sole exploration. Leaving the less adventurous seven unguarded, the mother pursued the errant baby. Meanwhile four offspring whimpered in the woods and three took shelter under nearby piazzas.

After several hours, the mother had rounded up her herd and disappeared.

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On Trial Day

By Harry F. O'Niell



Up and Down Broadway

By JACK GAVIN
United Press Staff Writer

NEW YORK, (U.P.) — This theatrical season is starting at a faster pace than its recent predecessors—a healthy sign even if the product revealed to date does not call for unrestrained huzzahs. There are more of them in there trying anyway.

We might as well start off with "Missouri Legend" by E. B. Ginty, a new writer although an old hand in the theatrical business as she used to be Belasco's secretary. The hero, if you can call him that, is Jesse James and the author has become a bit sentimental about this post-Civil War bandit de luxe, not that you can blame her for this because nearly everyone these days thinks of Jesse as a bad boy with glamour who was done in by a sneak. Time tends to erase the fact that he was the Dillinger of his time.

However, it is Miss Ginty's theory that Jesse was a good man at heart, a Baptist and a family man much concerned with the wife and kiddies. She explains how his blood contracted the taint of outlawry while he was in his teens during the Civil War when his mother permitted him to help Quantrell's notorious band of guerillas. The James family suffered at the hands of the Federals and Jesse never became reconciled to Federal authority after the war.

The play picks him up in the last weeks of his life while he is posing as a respectable citizen in a Missouri town. Funds are low and he plans a train robbery with his cronies. They get a bum steer, however, and Jesse winds up with a quixotic bank robbery which eventually spells his doom. This last outburst causes the state of Missouri to put a price of \$10,000 on his head and he is shot in the back of his own house by Bob Ford, young brother of a member of the James gang.

Miss Ginty embellishes this bare

outline with liberal doses of Jesse's religion, attempts of his wife to get him to go straight, evidence of the bandit's Robin Hood-like nature and some amusing characterizations. The writing is well enough handled in its separate parts, but the play does not jell as a whole. A biographical play naturally bears the handicap of holding few secrets from the average audience, but in this case there seemed to be an unnecessary telegraphing of punches. The most glaring example was in the character of Bob Ford. The actor who played the role was as patently a double-crosser from the first time he set foot on the stage that it was almost impossible for the audience to believe that a smart man like Jesse couldn't see his doom written all over the man's face and thus know better than to trust him for three acts.

Don't get the idea that this play is a piece of shoddy. As Americana, it is interesting whatever its strict dramatic merit may be and it is by no means a wasted visit to the theater. Guthrie McClintic, a careful workman, has given it as good a production as he knows how and the players are fine in the main.

Dean Jagger, a young actor previously regarded as promising but without great achievement, does magnificently as James and should be in line for top-flight roles from now on. Mildred Natwick is a joy as a poor widow helped out by Jesse, and Jose Ferrer, a young man whose comedy talent has been commended before, is amusing as a James gang hanger-on named Billy Gashade, whose chief reason for being is to compose hill-billy songs extolling the deeds of the gang. Dorothy Gish is charming in the none too robust role of Mrs. James. Other important roles were well entrusted to Russell Collins.

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5 to 6 p. m.
KFBK—Announced; 5:15 Sons of the Lone Star; 5:30 Dick Tracy; 5:45 Announced.
KROY—Sacramento and Valley News; 5:15 Dance; 5:25 News; 5:30 Sign Off.
KSFO—Dick Auran; 5:15 Howie Wing; 5:30, Blue Stone; 5:45, News.
KPO—Viennese Echoes; 5:30 Announced.
KGO—News; 5:15 See KFBK; 5:30, Information Please.
KFRG—Choir; 5:15 Jimmy and Gyp; 5:30 Dick Tracy; 5:45 Orphan Annie.

6 to 7 p. m.
KFBK—Serenade; 6:30 See KPO.
KROY—Dance; 6:15 Sign Off.
KSFO—We, The People; 6:30 Benny Goodman.
KPO—Walter Kelsey; 6:30 Fibber McGee and Molly.
KGO—Now and Then; 6:30 NBC Jamboree.
KFRG—Jack Armstrong; 6:15 News Drama; 6:30 Sports; 6:40 Howie Wing.

7 to 8 p. m.
KFBK—Speed Gibson; 7:15 Battle of Headlines; 7:30 Tenor; 7:45 Sidelights.
KSFO—Songs and Organ; 7:30 Songs; 7:45 Viewpoints.
KPO—Bob Hope; 7:30 Jimmy Fiddler; 7:45 Organ.
KGO—7:30 Tenor; Commentator.
KFRG—Young Woman's Diary; 7:15 Sports; 7:30 The Green Hornet.

8 to 9 p. m.
KFBK—Amos and Andy; 8:15 Don't Believe It; 8:30 California Pension Plan.
KSFO—News; 8:15 Orville Allston; 8:30 Big Town.
KPO—Amos and Andy; 8:15 Varieties; 8:30 Russ Morgan.
KGO—News; 8:05 Dance; 8:15 Amateur Hour.
KFRG—The Philistine; 8:15 Don't Believe It; 8:30 Pageant of Life; 8:45 Chico.

9 to 10 p. m.
KFBK—See KGO; 9:15 Summit Club; 9:30 News; 9:45 See KGO.
KSFO—Al Jolson; 9:30 Screenscoops; 9:45 Sports.
KPO—Good Morning Tonite; 9:30 Wayne King.
KGO—5:15 Dance; 9:30 Blue Barron; 9:45 University Explorer.
KFRG—News; 9:15 Heart and Home; 9:45 Ghost Stories.

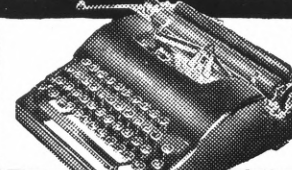
10 to 11 p. m.
KFBK—See KGO.
KSFO—Piano; 10:15 Hank's Family; 10:45 Ted Weems.
KPO—News; 10:15 Gentlemen Preferred; 10:30 Joe Sudy.
KGO—Plantation Party; 10:30 Shep Fields.
KFRG—Griff Williams; 10:30 Ted Rio Rito.

11 p. m. to 12 midnight
KFBK—Jack Winston; 11:30 Freddie Martin.
KSFO—Lou Sillee; 11:15 Bob Granit; 11:45 Prelude.
KPO—Jack Winston; 11:30 Freddie Martin.
KGO—News; 11:15 Music When You Want It.
KFRG—News; 11:05 Jim Walsh; 11:30 Playboys; 11:45 Transcriptions.

Wife Shoots Spouse, Thought Him Thief

PORT WORTH, Tex. (AP)—J. M. Willett got a cramp in his leg after he went to sleep last night and got up to walk around a bit to ease the pain. Mrs. Willett, believing that a burglar was trying to get in the house, seized a pistol. Physicians said Willett would recover from a wound in the hip.

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UP AND DOWN BROADWAY

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Clare Woodbury, Richard Bishop, Joseph Sweeney and Dan Duryea.

Music professor! In this particular case the music of the suave Cole Porter which embellishes the season's first tune show, "You Never Know," an elaborate charade from the Shubert atelier. The Porter tunes and lyrics deserve mention first and foremost because they are the best part of this comedy which Rowland Leigh has fashioned from the play which was known as "Candlelight" some 10 years ago.

There are things in "You Never Know" which I do not like—the acrobatic dancing of June Preisser, the imitations of Lupe Velez and her perpetual anatomical quiverings. Miss Toby Wing, and the plot about the valet who impersonates the master and vice versa—but it must be admitted that the production has a good bit of audience appeal and should prove popular with the not too critical early season trade.

The Shuberts have poured a little bit of everything in it, with a result that the first act is easily half an hour too long. There is nothing much they can do about the story and jokes now, but they could gain speed and lessen tedium by dropping a lackluster specialty here and there, highlighting the music a bit more and otherwise seeing that there are as few obstructions as possible between the audience and such players as Clifton Webb, Libby Holman, Rex O'Malley, and I suppose I must include Miss Velez because there is no doubt that she excites the populace.

The elongated Webb, master of the dance, crisp, quip and sophisticated song, is up to snuff as the servant-turned master for the sake of an affair with a lady who turns out to be no lady but a lady's maid. There are few persons in show business with his all-around ability and it is always a pleasure to watch him work. Miss Holman, seen infrequently in recent years and too little apparent in this show for my own pleasure, still sings in that throaty voice which makes workaday trouble seem like a bagatelle. It's like old times to see her and Webb together in a show. A cheer for O'Malley, usually seen in straight plays, for a debonair performance in a rather thankless role. The dancing Hartmans, whose ballroom satires are devastating entertainment always, do much for the cause, and the six young men billed as The Debonairs also are amusing steppers.

As for the Porter score, ring the gong for "You Never Know." "What Is That Time?" "Alpha to Omega," and "At Long Last Love." Dana Suesse also contributes a song, "No," which is a high spot of the show as handled by Webb and Holman.

If you decided to go back 20 years and pick a play of that time for revival you might have hit upon "Light-

Personals

James Kelly was a Monday morning caller from Kelsey.

Charles MacLaughlin was a visitor Monday morning from Youngs.

County School Superintendent E. J. Fitzgerald leaves on Wednesday for Pasadena to attend the annual meeting of California School Superintendents on October 6, 7 and 8. Since Mr. Fitzgerald retires from office at the end of the calendar year, this meeting probably will be the last of the group that he will attend in an official capacity.

F. Norman Celio came down from Lake Tahoe Sunday and reports that when he crossed the summit there was a fall of about four inches of wet snow. He did not expect that the snow would remain long on the ground.

Friends of Mrs. Hilda Woodworth of Camino Truck Service at the Sperry proving in health and soon expects to be back at her work as bookkeeper for Camino Truck Service at the Sperry Warehouse.

Sergeant and Mrs. B. W. Reynolds and family, of Hayward, where Mr. Reynolds is stationed with the California Highway Patrol, are here for a visit with relatives and other friends. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mann, of Pacific District, are the parents of a son born Sunday night at a Sacramento hospital.

"nin," but I doubt it. However, the faith of John Golden, original producer of this one time long-run record holder, is vindicated by the current production of his old standby with Fred Stone in the role which made the late Frank Bacon famous in the last months of his life. Bacon and the late Winchell Smith wrote the play.

Stone does a superlative job as Lightnin' Bill Jones, lovable old reprobate spinner of tall yarns. Civil War veteran, and imbiber of bottled goods. It is the second time he has essayed a role in a straight play and it is a definite improvement over his first attempt a few seasons back in "Jayhawker." He is no imitation of the Bacon characterization and it is excellent on its own merits.

The play concerns the attempt of some unscrupulous real estate men to put over a fast one on Bill's wife by buying her residential hotel, which is split by the Nevada-California state line, and the manner in which they are thwarted by the supposedly no-good Bill and a young lawyer friend. The courtroom scene still packs a great comedy punch.

Supporting the star are Mrs. Priestly Morrison, Helen Brooks, Muriel Hutchison, John Griggs, Walter Gilbert, Franklin Fox and Henry Richards.

Single Tax Hit By Association

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encourage more by relaxing the two-thirds vote requirement of the Constitution.

No. 14, Removal of Judicial Officers, vote YES. This proposition requires the Supreme Court to suspend and remove from office any judge convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude and to suspend the salary of such judge until the termination of appeal. Judges can now only be removed from office by impeachment, a two-thirds vote of the Legislature, or recall. This proposition provides a more efficient procedure.

WORLD SERIES GAMES TO START WEDNESDAY AT 11:30

CHICAGO, (AP)—Salient facts on the world series between the New York Yankees and the Cubs follow:

Schedule—The first two games at Wrigley Field, Chicago, Wednesday and Thursday. Friday will be left open to travel and the third, fourth and fifth games will be played at Yankee Stadium, New York, Saturday, Sunday and Monday. If necessary, the sixth and seventh games will be played in Chicago, the following Wednesday and Thursday.

Time of Games—Chicago games will start at 11:30 a. m. PST. New York games will start at 10:30 a. m., PST.

Bruno Mussolini Will Wed October 29

ROME, (UP)—The engagement of Bruno Mussolini, one of the sons of Premier Benito Mussolini, was announced today. He will marry Gino Ruberti, 22, daughter of the president of the court of appeal. The wedding has been fixed for October 29, the date of celebrations marking the beginning of the 17th year of the Fascist dictatorship.

Police court fines collected during the month of September were \$414.50, according to a report to the city council by Police Judge Eugene Creed.

The City Council Monday evening laid over for further consideration proposed amendments to the city zoning ordinance.

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SAM KESSLER FUNERAL TO BE WEDNESDAY AT 2 O'CLOCK

The funeral services for Sam Kessler, Jr., a charter member of El Dorado Post No. 119, American Legion, who died on Sunday evening, will be held at 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon from the Dillinger mortuary chapel.

The last rites will be conducted by the officers and members of the American Legion post with the assistance of the Rev. Harold Morehouse, the post chaplain.

Interment will be at the cemetery at Camino.

AMERICAN LEGION NOTICE

Members of El Dorado Post No. 119, American Legion, will meet at the War Veterans' Memorial Building at 1:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon to conduct funeral services at 2 o'clock at the Dillinger Chapel for our late comrade, Sam Kessler. By order of,

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Mortimer Lost 50 Hours

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area Monday evening, returned to Cal-dora Tuesday morning to continue the hunt.

Ranger Young deployed the searching party in a skirmish line with the men spaced about thirty feet apart and begun the task of minutely combing a broad area in which is included, it is believed, the section toward which Mortimer was headed when last seen Sunday morning.

Meanwhile, other smaller parties of searchers were patrolling the few roads in the district, seeking some trace of Mortimer, or making short forays in to nearby country on the chance of finding a trace of him.

Jack Gianelli and Dr. D. W. Babcock, private pilots, made flights over the area Tuesday morning in their planes and reported finding no trace of the missing man. Gianelli said he saw several searching parties. Dr. Babcock reported on landing at Placerville airport that he found no trace of Mortimer.

Mortimer was hunting with Dr. William Schneider, Bill Cooper and Berni Chappell, none of whom, according to Sheriff George M. Smith, fired a shot Sunday morning. When the party separated Sunday morning, it was reported, there was an understanding that all would return to camp about ten o'clock.

The three returned to camp and reported that about the time Mortimer was expected, they heard two shots, which came presumably from the section in which Mortimer was to have been hunting.

Beyond this circumstance, the whereabouts of the young man or what may have happened to him remained a matter of conjecture.

FORMAL START MADE ON MONDAY ON ADDITIONS TO WATER PLANT

A formal beginning was made Monday by the Pacific Coast Construction Company, to which contract for enlargement of the city water plant has been granted, and it is understood that work will be thoroughly under way on the contract by Thursday of this week. The work done Monday was of a preliminary nature in compliance with PWA regulations setting forth the date of the start of work.

Damage Action Filed By Sheep Man

John Granlees is the plaintiff in an action filed Monday in Superior Court against Herbert B. Richards and the Sacramento Box and Lumber Company, asking damages of \$485.

The complaint, prepared by Attorneys Henry S. Lyon and Robert E. Roberts, states that a truck owned by the defendant company and carelessly and negligently operated by Richards, crashed into a band of sheep owned by the plaintiff on U. S. Route 50 near Riverton on or about July 19, last, killing 41 sheep for which damage of \$410 is asked.

The complaint further asks for an award of \$75 as being the expense of the plaintiff in gathering up and removing the carcasses.

Deficit Means More Taxes

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yield would vary from \$200,000,000 to \$500,000,000.

But far from all of this, additional revenue would be paid by persons in low income tax groups newly subject to income tax liability. Much of it would come from increased payments by persons already contributing to income tax receipts, whose tax liability would be increased by the reduction of their exemptions.

It is the belief of representative congressional tax experts that there is no more income to be had from upper brackets, the tremendous incomes from \$100,000 a year up. But it is argued that more can be taken from the upper middle class group earning up to \$50,000 a year by increasing surtaxes.

There remains in congress considerable sales tax sympathy.

\$700,000,000 DEFICIT SHOWN FOR 3 MONTHS ON U. S. BOOKS

WASHINGTON, (AP) — The federal government closed its books for the 1939 fiscal year today with a gross deficit of \$700,983,352.72, the treasury disclosed.

The figure for the first quarter indicated that a new Roosevelt deficit record may be established when the accounts for the 1939 fiscal year are balanced next June 30.

Income during the first three months amounted to \$1,509,182,032, compared with \$1,650,690,763 last year. Expenditures rose from \$1,937,764,437 during the first three months of last year to \$2,210,165,385 for the current quarter.

The largest single item of expenditure was recorded by the Works Progress Administration. The total of that relief spending was \$559,333,347 during the first quarter, as against \$333,926,213 for the same months last year.

Spending for the Civilian Conservation Corps and the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, the farm tenant act and the Tennessee Valley Authority exceeded \$210,000,000 compared with around \$150,000,000 last year.

Bernice Nace is plaintiff in a suit for divorce from Kenneth Nace filed in Superior Court Monday charging cruelty. The complaint, prepared by Attorneys Lyon and Roberts, states the couple wed at Reno March 6, 1937, and separated September 18, last. They have one child whose custody the plaintiff asks, together with an award of \$25 per month for his support.

Franchise Ordinance Read First Time

A proposed ordinance setting forth the terms and arrangements under which the City of Placerville will grant a franchise for the operation of public utilities within the city limits, was introduced for first reading at the Monday night meeting of the city council.

The document, occupying twelve typewritten pages, had been prepared by City Attorney Thomas Maul at the Request of the Council and was offered by Councilman A. H. Greeley. It is intended to apply to all businesses defined as public utilities including bus lines and will become effective thirty days after its final approval and publication.

MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN EMPIRE STAR IN "HOLD THAT KISS"

By MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN
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Because I believe in the luck of the Irish I'm glad to have played a part with Dennis O'Keefe. I think it's a lucky combination.

Dennis is Irish by descent. He's never been to Ireland, so I started a selling talk. I told him all about Ireland and now he's planning a vacation there. By coincidence, in our picture, "Hold That Kiss," he was supposed to be a clerk in a travel agency, selling people trips to Europe and lecturing on the beauties of this or that country. Between scenes I played the travel agent and gave him the selling talk. There were many laughs over it on the set.

We were quite a happy family while making the picture. Edwin L. Martin, our director, believes that laughter lightens work and we had the antics of Mickey Rooney, learning to play a clarinet, to laugh at as well as the tricks of "Buck," the big St. Bernard dog in the picture. "Buck" is almost human. He used to know the time without watching the clock, and at noon and time for quitting he would leap to attention from whatever he happened to be doing and bark enthusiastically. He made friends all over the studio during his stay with us for the picture and he and Clark Gable had quite a reunion. They were together in "Call of the Wild."

Declaration of their intention to wed was filed with County Clerk Arthur J. Koletzke Monday afternoon by Lloyd Morris, 20, son of Ranger and Mrs. M. D. Morris, of Pacific, and Irene Estella Buhlert, 20, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Buhlert, of Placerville.

Shanghai Man Lion Speaker

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a year and a half and devoted the latter part of his talk to responding to questions put by members of the club, who inquired concerning banditry in China, the effect of the continuing war on business, the various civilian "atrocities" reported in news dispatches and the geographical lay-out of Shanghai with regard to the native city, the international settlement and the French concession.

Mr. Wilkinson said that banditry in China had been brought well under control ten years ago. Business, he said, is off about 60 per cent as a result of hostilities, and as to the "atrocities" he declared that he would not have the Lions leave the meeting thinking that the Japanese are any worse than the Chinese.

Alston W. Sutton was welcomed as the Cub of the den by Lion L. J. Anderson. The latter also spoke in behalf of the County Fair. Secretary Ripley, of the chamber of commerce, called attention to the Friday highway conference and Lloyd Cannon, attendance chairman, announced an attendance contest beginning next meeting between teams of the club headed respectively by Lions Morehouse and Barton.

The meeting of the club next Tuesday will be an evening affair at 7:30 o'clock in observance of Fire Prevention Week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dunn and son, Jack, who had spent the summer at their cabin near the wye, Lake Valley, returned to Placerville over the weekend and under a revision of the mail schedule provided for in his contract, Mr. Dunn will make Placerville his headquarters until next Spring.

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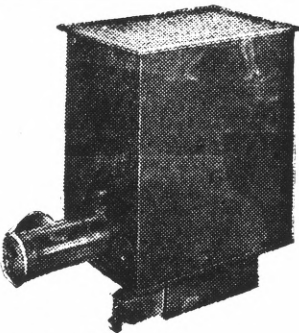
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